

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **GROUP 1752** PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Tadahiro SORORI, et al.

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2003. A Petition and payment for a one-month extension of time are attached, making this Amendment due on or before January 8, 2004.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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